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From the Paris Gazette, dated Nov. 3. *which came through the Neutral Countries.*

Naples, October 2.

THE uſual Rejoycings and Illuminations, on occaſion of the Feſtival of St. Januarius were obſerv'd here for three days together, and in the Evenings all the Artillery of the Caſtles were diſcharg'd. The Concourſe of People was extraordinary, to ſee the Blood of the Saint, which being expos'd immediately grew liquid, and continued dropping ſeveral days; which is taken for a happy Omen and Sign of the Protection of God over this City and Nation. We had Intelligence laſt Week by ſeveral Barks and Couriers diſpatch'd Expreſs, that the Engliſh and Dutch Fleet was in the Road of Leghorne; Whereupon the Duke de Eſcalona our Viceroy made the neceſſary Diſpoſitions to defend the Coaſts; aud order'd all Perſons ſuſpected of holding Intelligence with the Imperialiſts to be taken into Cuſtody; the number of which Perſons is ſo ſmall, that it ſufficiently ſhews the Nobility and People to be generally well affected to the preſent Government. The only ground we have to think the Enemy have ſome ſecret Emiſſaries here, is, that within a few days ſeveral Images of the Virgin ſtanding in the publick Streets and Market-places have in the Night-time been mutilated and defac'd, and the Lamps that hung before them broken; which 'tis ſuppos'd muſt have been done by ſome Proteſtants, no body being inclin'd to ſuſpect that any Neapolitans could have a hand in it, nor even the Emperor's Miniſters, who underſtand their Intereſt better than to think to promote it by ſuch Actions.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Nov. 15.

Niſmes, Oct. 26. The Camiſars continue to range about the Country on all ſides, particularly from Sommieres and Queillac to St. Ambroiſe and Uſez. On Sunday laſt they had Religious Meetings in open Day at Martiniargues and in the Wood of Mazieres, at which were preſent 2000 Perſons, beſides 800 Men arm'd who guarded them. One of their chief Leaders call'd Cavalier, with the Party he commands, went a few days ſince to Aubay, ſet the Chuch of that place on fire, and then retir'd: But perceiving, after he had march'd a little way, that the Fire was put out, he turn'd back again and put thoſe to the Sword who he was inform'd had extinguiſh'd the Fire. Another Party of the Malecontents has taken at Calmete two Ancient Catholicks that were going to Alais; and has likewiſe taken away the Horſe and Pacquet from the Letter-Carrier that was coming hither from Alais: Whereupon the Marſhal de Montrevel has directed, that for the future all Couriers, Meſſengers and Poſtmen, ſhall have a Guard to go with them from Place to Place.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Nov. 13.

Berlin, Nov. 3. On the 31ſt of laſt Month the Birth-day of the Queen of Pruſſia was celebrated here very ſolemnly; and her Majeſty receiv'd the Compliments of the whole Court on that Occaſion. The ſame day in the Afternoon the Marriage of the Margrave Albert with the Princeſs of Courland was ſolemniz'd; The King, the Queen, the Electreſs Dowager of Hanover, the Prince Royal, the new married Couple, the Margraves and the Princeſſes Supp'd together at one Table; and ſeveral other Tables were ſpread for the Entertainment of the reſt of the Court. After the Feaſt was over, there was a Ball and Maſquerade which laſted till Midnight.

They write from Berlin of the 6th of November, that the Electreſs Dowager of Hanover left that City on the 15th to return to Hanover; that before her Departure the King of Pruſſia preſented her with a Bracelet of Diamonds of great Value; and that his Pruſſian Majeſty was gone to Poſtdam.

From Hanover of the 7th they write, That the Electreſs Dowager was arriv'd there from Berlin; that the Elector and the Electoral Prince were likewiſe return'd thither from Hamel, and that his Electoral Highneſs had receiv'd Letters by an Expreſs from the Elector of Mentz, in which that Prince makes urgent Inſtance for a Succour of Troops, to enable him to hinder the French from penetrating lower down the Rhine.

Deale, Nov. 17. To day at 12 a Clock Sir Cloudſly Shovel arriv'd in the Downes, with 14 Men of War. We are inform'd, that before he came out of the Streights he detach'd 4 more Men of War to Turkey, ſo that now there are 8 gone thither: And ſince he came out of the Streights he order'd 4 Men of War and a Fireſhip to Lisbon, to bring away

away the Merchant Ships that are to come from thence to England.

London, Nov. 18. This Afternoon came Advice, that the Transport Ships with Land Forces on board which are to serve in the Expedition to Portugal, the 9 East-India Merchant Ships, and the 17 Ships from Virginia, which with their Convoy have lain some time in Kingsale for a Wind, are all arriv'd safe at Spithead.

The Hampstead Gally, Captain Hog Commander, bound hither from Turkey, is arriv'd in Rye Bay, and (we are well inform'd) has on board 40 Ton of Coffee.

The Russia Fleet, (of whose arrival in Leith Road we spoke doubtfully in Wednesday's Paper,) is not yet come into any Port either of Scotland or England.

Three Mails *are wanting from* Holland.

For the Entertainment of their Highnesses the Prince and Princess Landgrave of *Hesse*.

AT the Theatre Royal in *Drury-Lane*, this present *Friday* being the 19th of *November*, will be presented a Comedy call'd, *The Constant Couple*, or, *A Trip to the Jubilee*. With Dancing by the Famous Monsieur *Du Ruel*, Singing by Mr. *Leveridge* and Mrs. *Campion*. And a piece of Musick for the Violin and Flute by Signior *Gasperini* and Mr. *Paisible*, it being the most Masterly perform'd of any Musick that was ever heard upon the English Stage.

LOST between *Southampton-street-end* and *Holborn Bars* a pair of Leather Bags, in which was a pair of Breeches, a Perriwig, some Linnen Stockins, and Shooes, with some Gloves, and a little Parchment Book of Accounts in which was some Notes for Payment of Money, with some other Papers, of no use to any but the Owner, the Payment being already stop'd. Whosoever brings them to Mr. *George Murray* a Grocer without Temple-Bar, shall have a Guinea Reward for the whole, or Ten Shillings for the Book and Papers.

THE Anniversary Feast of the Gentlemen Educated at Merchant-Taylers School, will be held on *Tuesday* the 30th of *November* at Drapers-Hall in *Throgmorton-street*. Tickets may be had at *Batson*'s Coffee-house in *Cornhill*, *John*'s Coffee-house in *Cornhill*, *London-stone* Coffee-house, Mr. *Benj. Walford*'s Bookseller in St. *Paul*'s Church-yard, the *Rain-Bow* Coffee-house at Temple-Bar, and at *Oliver*'s Coffee-house, *Westminster*.

THIS present *Friday* being the 19th of *November* at 4 in the Afternoon in *Exeter* Exchange, will be continued the Sale of Esquire *Crow*'s Greek, Latin, Italian, French and Spanish Books, beginning with the *Quarto*'s at Page 10. among which there is *Titus Livius*, *C. Tacitus*, *Panegyrici Veteres*, and many other Classick Authors in *Usum Delphini*. Catalogues are Sold for 6 *d.* each by Mr. *Henshman* in *Westminster-Hall*; *Edw. Castle* at *Scotland-yard-gate* near *White-Hall*; *P. Varenne* at *Seneca*'s Head near *Somerset-House* in the *Strand*; *D. Brown*, *R. Smith*, and *Fr. Coggan*, near *Temple-Bar*; *J. Knapton* at the *Crown* in St. *Paul*'s Church-yard; *S. Crouch* at the Corner of Popes-Head-Alley in *Cornhill*; and at the Place of Sale.

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